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For: Parakeratosis Inhibitor and Skin Preparation for External Use

## SUBMISSION OF MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53

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Sir:

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1. Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application.
2. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.
3. Recordation Form Cover Sheet.
4. Assignment and fee of \$40.00.
5. Submission of International Preliminary Report on Patentability, PCT/IB/326, PCT/IB/373 and PCT/ISA/237.
5. Information Disclosure Statement, Form 1449 and 12 references.
6. Check to cover the \$40.00 fee for Recordation, in the total amount of \$40.00.

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Having now complied with all requirements of 37 CFR §1.53,  
Applicant(s) respectfully request that this application be  
examined.

Respectfully submitted,



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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 05/24/2006
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- Preliminary Amendments filed on 05/24/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/24/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 05/24/2006
- Specification filed on 05/24/2006
- Claims filed on 05/24/2006
- Abstracts filed on 05/24/2006
- Drawings filed on 05/24/2006

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

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**Submission of International**  
**Preliminary Report on Patentability**

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Sir:

Applicant reports the receipt of the International Preliminary Report on Patentability for counterpart application PCT/JP2004/017356 (international filing date November 22, 2004). Forms PCT/IB/326, PCT/IB/373 and PCT/ISA/237 are attached and Applicant respectfully requests that these papers be placed in the application for the Examiner's review.

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